

Application No.:

10/644,826

Applicant:

Min-Hui CHEN

Filed: August 21, 2003

Title: PROTECTIVE MECHANISM

FOR PADLOCK

Confirmation No.: 6175

Group Art Unit: 3676

Examiner: Lloyd A. GALL

Attorney Docket: CHEN3579/WKP

Customer No.: 23364

## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

## MAIL STOP NON FEE AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2004 in the above application. Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendments and the remarks that follow. All claim cancellations and/or amendments are made without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE in the above-identified application.

- Ø Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
- Ø No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For		Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims	11	- 20	= 0	× \$ 9 = \$0.00	× \$ 18 =
Independent Claims	1	- 3	= 0	× \$ 43 = \$0.00	× \$ 86 =
☐ First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$145 =	+ \$290 =
			TOTAL	\$0.00	

<sup>1</sup> If less than 20 enter 20.

	Please charge my Deposit Account Number 02-0200 in the amount of _\$ A duplicate copy of this sheet
	is attached.
	A check in the amount of _\$ is attached.
X	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees
	due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate

Also enclosed is/are:

copy of this sheet is attached.

23364

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DATE:

June 24, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If less than 3 enter 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> If less than 0 enter 0.